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Domanda **1**

Risposta
corretta

Punteggio
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In data preprocessing, which of the following are the objectives of the *aggregation* of attributes

Scegli una o più alternative:

- ☒ a. Obtain a less detailed scale ✓
- ☐ b. Obtain a more detailed description of data
- ☒ c. Reduce the variability of data ✓
- ☒ d. Reduce the number of attributes or distinct values ✓

Risposta corretta.

Le risposte corrette sono: Reduce the number of attributes or distinct values, Obtain a less detailed scale, Reduce the variability of data

Domanda **2**

Risposta
corretta

Punteggio
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Which is the effect of the *curse of dimensionality*

Scegli un'alternativa:

- ☐ a. When the number of dimensions increases the computing power necessary to compute the distances becomes too high
- ☐ b. When the number of dimensions increases the results tend to be prone to overfitting
- ☒ c. When the number of dimensions increases the euclidean distance becomes less effective to discriminate between points in the space ✓
- ☐ d. When the number of dimensions increases the classifiers cannot be correctly tuned

Risposta corretta.

La risposta corretta è: When the number of dimensions increases the euclidean distance becomes less effective to discriminate between points in the space

Domanda **3**

Risposta
corretta

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Which of the statements below is true? (One or more)

Scegli una o più alternative:

- ☒ a. K-means is very sensitive to the initial assignment of the centers ✓ No, being based on distances, if the number of attributes is very large k-means is prone to the *curse of dimensionality*
- ☐ b. K-means always stops to a configuration which gives the minimum distortion for the chosen value of the number of clusters.
- ☒ c. K-means is quite efficient even for large datasets ✓ No, k-means finds a local minimum of the distortion for an assigned number of clusters
- ☒ d. Sometimes k-means stops to a configuration which does not give the minimum distortion for the chosen value of the number of clusters. ✓

Your answer is correct.

Le risposte corrette sono: Sometimes k-means stops to a configuration which does not give the minimum distortion for the chosen value of the number of clusters., K-means is quite efficient even for large datasets, K-means is very sensitive to the initial assignment of the centers

Domanda **4**

Risposta
corretta

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Consider the transactional dataset below

ID Items

1 A,B,C

2 A,B,D

3 B,D,E

4 C,D

5 A,C,D,E

Which is the *support* of the rule $A,C \Rightarrow B$?

Scegli un'alternativa:

- ☐ a. 40%
- ☐ b. 50%
- ☒ c. 20% ✓ 1 / 5
- ☐ d. 100%

Risposta corretta.

La risposta corretta è: 20%

Domanda **5**

Risposta
corretta

Punteggio
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What does K-means try to minimise?

Scegli un'alternativa:

- ☐ a. The *separation*, that is the sum of the squared distances of each point with respect to its centroid
- ☒ b. The *distortion*, that is the sum of the squared distances of each point with respect to its centroid ✓
- ☐ c. The *distortion*, that is the sum of the squared distances of each point with respect to the points of the other clusters
- ☐ d. The *separation*, that is the sum of the squared distances of each cluster centroid with respect to the global centroid of the dataset

Risposta corretta.

La risposta corretta è: The *distortion*, that is the sum of the squared distances of each point with respect to its centroid

Domanda **6**

Risposta errata

Punteggio
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su 1,00

Which is the main purpose of *smoothing* in Bayesian classification?

Scegli un'alternativa:

- ☒ a. Dealing with missing values ✗
- ☐ b. Classifying an object containing attribute values which are missing from some classes in the training set
- ☐ c. Reduce the variability of the data
- ☐ d. Classifying an object containing attribute values which are missing from some classes in the test set

Risposta errata.

La risposta corretta è: Classifying an object containing attribute values which are missing from some classes in the training set

Domanda **7**

Risposta errata

Punteggio
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In a decision tree, the number of objects in a node...

Scegli un'alternativa:

- ☐ a. ...is smaller than the number of objects in its ancestor
- ☐ b. ...is not related to the number of objects in its ancestor
- ☐ c. ...is bigger than the number of objects in its ancestor
- ☒ d. ...is smaller than or equal to the number of objects in its ancestor ✗ It cannot be equal, if you split the decrease in size is at least one

Risposta errata.

La risposta corretta è: ...is smaller than the number of objects in its ancestor

Domanda **8**

Risposta
corretta

Punteggio
ottenuto 1,00
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Which of the following measure can be used as an alternative to the *Information Gain*?

Scegli un'alternativa:

- ☐ a. Silhouette Index
- ☐ b. Rand Index
- ☐ c. Jaccard Index
- ☒ d. Gini Index ✓

Your answer is correct.

La risposta corretta è: Gini Index

Domanda **9**

Risposta
corretta

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Why do we *prune* a decision tree?

Scegli un'alternativa:

- ☐ a. To eliminate parts of the tree where the decision could generate *underfitting*
- ☐ b. To eliminate attributes which could be influenced by random effects
- ☐ c. To eliminate rows of the dataset which could be influenced by random effects
- ☒ d. To eliminate parts of the tree where the decisions could be influenced by random effects ✓

Your answer is correct.

La risposta corretta è: To eliminate parts of the tree where the decisions could be influenced by random effects

Domanda **10**

Risposta
corretta

Punteggio
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Which of the following *is not* an objective of feature selection

Scegli un'alternativa:

- ☐ a. Reduce the effect of noise
- ☐ b. Avoid the *curse of dimensionality*
- ☒ c. Select the features with higher range, which have more influence on the computations ✓
- ☐ d. Reduce time and memory complexity of the mining algorithms

Risposta corretta.

La risposta corretta è: Select the features with higher range, which have more influence on the computations

Domanda **11**

Risposta
corretta

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Which of the following clustering methods is *not* based on distances between objects?

Scegli un'alternativa:

- ☒ a. Expectation Maximization ✓
- ☐ b. Hierarchical Agglomerative
- ☐ c. DBSCAN
- ☐ d. K-Means

Your answer is correct.

La risposta corretta è: Expectation Maximization

Domanda **12**

Risposta
corretta

Punteggio
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Which of the following characteristic of data can reduce the effectiveness of DBSCAN?

Scegli un'alternativa:

- ☐ a. Presence of outliers
- ☐ b. Clusters have concavities
- ☒ c. Presence of clusters with different densities ✓
- ☐ d. All the variables are the same range of values

Your answer is correct.

La risposta corretta è: Presence of clusters with different densities

Domanda **13**

Risposta
corretta

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Which of the following types of data allows the use of the euclidean distance?

Scegli un'alternativa:

- ☐ a. Ordered data
- ☐ b. Document representations
- ☐ c. Transactional data
- ☒ d. Points in a vector space ✓

Your answer is correct.

La risposta corretta è: Points in a vector space

Domanda **14**

Risposta
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Given the definitions below:

- TP = True Positives
- TN = True Negatives
- FP = False Positives
- FN = False Negatives

which of the formulas below computes the *precision* of a binary classifier?

Scegli un'alternativa:

- ☐ a. $TP / (TP + FN)$
- ☒ b. $TP / (TP + FP)$ ✓ This is also called *positive predictive value*, which is the number of detected true positives divided by the total number of elements predicted as positive
- ☐ c. $TN / (TN + FP)$
- ☐ d. $(TP + TN) / (TP + FP + TN + FN)$

Risposta corretta.

La risposta corretta è: $TP / (TP + FP)$

Match the rule evaluation formulas with their names

$$\frac{conf(A \Rightarrow C)}{sup(C)}$$

Lift



$$\frac{sup(A \Rightarrow C)}{sup(A)}$$

Confidence



$$\frac{1 - sup(C)}{1 - conf(A \Rightarrow C)}$$

Conviction



$$sup(A \cup C) - sup(A)sup(C)$$

Leverage



Your answer is correct.

La risposta corretta è:

$$\frac{conf(A \Rightarrow C)}{sup(C)} \rightarrow \text{Lift,}$$

$$\frac{sup(A \Rightarrow C)}{sup(A)} \rightarrow \text{Confidence,}$$

$$\frac{1 - sup(C)}{1 - conf(A \Rightarrow C)} \rightarrow \text{Conviction,}$$

$$sup(A \cup C) - sup(A)sup(C) \rightarrow \text{Leverage}$$

